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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In RE:
Serial no.: 10/782,636
Filing date: 2/19/2004
For: Rhododendron Plant named 'Classic Rouge'
Inventor: Vanderhaegen
Atty. Docket no.: HH4
Group Art Unit: 1661
Examiner: Bell

AMENDMENT and RESPONSE

This is in response to the Office Action dated February 9, 2005.

Please amend the above identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 3 of this paper.